

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 10, replace the paragraph at lines 12-13 with the following amended paragraph:

~~Fig. 2 is a main flow chart~~ Figs. 2A and 2B are main flow charts showing a performance evaluation procedure performed in a first embodiment;

Page 12, replace the paragraph at lines 23-24 with the following amended paragraph:

~~Fig. 35 is a view~~ Figs. 35A to 35C are views illustrating by way of example the played keys and performance guidance of a chord.

Page 12, replace the paragraph at lines 25-27 with the following amended paragraph:

~~Fig. 36 is a view~~ Figs. 36A to 36C are views illustrating by way of example the played keys and performance guidance of plural notes each of a different time of initiating sound generation; and

Page 13, replace the paragraph at lines 1-4 with the following amended paragraph:

~~Fig. 37 is a view~~ Figs. 37A to 37C are views illustrating by way of example a case in which no key is played meanwhile there is given performance guidance of plural notes each of a different timing for the initiation of sound generation.